



# **WEDNESDAY WRAP-UP**

## **Of the Geneva, New York Rotary Club**

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**Wednesday,  
January 30,  
2019**

Next week:  
Marty Teller, Finger Lakes Area  
Counseling And Recovery

President Shad led us in the pledge and gave the invocation

### **Visiting Rotarians**

Neil Teague, Seneca Falls

### **Guests**

Helen Kelly – Finger Lakes Health  
Ray Ciancaglini  
Christine Hoffman – League of Women Voters

### **Happy Birthday Rotarians\**

Gerald Barker  
Charlie Bartishevich  
Ned Clark  
Brian Finnerty  
Jason Haag  
Ruth Leo  
Dan Quigley  
Mike Rusinko

Dan Quigley, who is celebrating his 95<sup>th</sup> birthday, mentioned that he only drives a few places now, and never at night. Of the places he will go are, Wegmans, the Y, Church and Pedulla's. Today Rotary made the list and we were so happy to have him!

Charlie Bartishevich led us in singing Happy Birthday to all those celebrating January birthdays.

## **Announcements**

- Shad announced that we have a full house today. Shad is pretty sure we owe the amazing attendance to the appearance of the most magnificent beard in all of Geneva!
- Mickey Schultz announced that she has some posters and brochures for you to bring to your businesses promoting the Athena A.C.E. Scholarships. They will be having a Sip and Share event on February 6 at 6:00pm at Bill Cram Chevrolet in Seneca Falls. If you or someone you know is interested, please come. You can find out more on their website at <http://athenaace.org/>.
- Jim Dickson announced that there will be a short meeting of the Paul Harris Committee after lunch.
- Jim Adams invited all to attend a concert the St. Peters Youth Choir is putting on this weekend. This will be their last concert before going to Europe! The concert will be this Saturday at St. John's Chapel on the HWS campus at 7:30pm.
- Shad announced that it is 150 days until Mary (*takes over as President*) and 515 days until Dave!
- Shad presented Tara with an award of recognition for the Rochester Rotary Club for the Deaf.

## **50/50**

Bruce Tuxill split \$58/\$58 with Polio Plus and donated his winnings back AGAIN. Thank you Bruce!

## **Happy Dollars and Fines**

- Jim Dickson was happy to have been able to spend time with his son in Nashville. They went to a Metallica concert that was amazing. Jim was very impressed with the drones they had flying around in rhythm to the music.
- Chris Lavin was happy for Trina making a good call in not closing school.
- Diana Perry was also happy for Trina not closing school, because there is currently no Wi-Fi at her house and she's not sure she could have taken that. Diana was also happy for the Geneva Cheerleaders coming in first in their competition.
- Ellen Wayne is happy to be home from her little vacation. She spent two days in O'Hare airport with a four year old trying to get home. Ellen was happy to have made it back in time to attend the Geneva Chamber of Commerce dinner where she accepted an award.
- Shad was also happy for Ellen and her staff.
- Jason Hagerman was also happy for the Geneva Cheerleaders win.
- Ruth and Mickey each paid a fine for their phones going off last week.
- Karen Luttrell is happy for the time she spent in the Florida Keys last week. She is also happy that the shutdown is over so her husband can go back to work. They are hoping for a paycheck this week!

- Jim Adams is happy to be back from England and Scotland where he was recruiting new counselors for Lake Delaware Boys Camp.
- Mary is happy for St. Peters Arts Academy. Her great grandkids are starting choir soon and are very excited.
- Phil Beckley had a dollar for being an observant newsman. He noticed that we often sit at the same tables every week, and noticed that Chris Lavin was sitting across the room today. Mickey said it was because the birthday table took his regular spot and he probably didn't want to pay the fine for sitting there.
- Dave Cook knew Bill Buell couldn't come today because of the ice, but wanted to mention that Bill will be catching up with Dan Quigley soon as our eldest members.
- Charlie Bartishevich celebrated his birthday this past Sunday. He usually takes the day off, but because it fell on a Sunday he couldn't. He missed spending the day by himself. Charlie was also happy for Ellen's great speech at the Chamber of Commerce dinner.
- Trina paid a fine for having her photo in the paper. She recently was in Albany with several other superintendents lobbying for schools. On the drive back, each of them were on a different weather app and fielding calls about closings or delays.

## Program

Today we were joined by **Christine Hoffman** from the **Geneva chapter of the League of Women Voters**. The LWV is a non-partisan, not for profit organization whose membership includes both men and women. Influenced by the suffragette movement, the Geneva chapter was established around 1920.

The LWV sponsors the Court Watch program led by Len DiFransisco and their newsletter, *Eye on the Courts*. They also hold candidate forums, but being non-partisan, they never support any candidate. The LWV also hosts a website called vote411 which is a great source of information about registering to vote, polling places and ballot information.

You can learn about the history of the LWV and all they do to get information out to voters by clicking [here](#). You can see all of the information vote411 has to offer by clicking [here](#).

## **Submitted by Susie Flick**

<p><b>Four way test:</b>  <i>"Of the things we think, say or do:"</i></p> <p><b>1. Is it The Truth?</b>  <b>2. Is it Fair to All Concerned?</b>  <b>3. Will it Build Goodwill and Better Friendships?</b>  <b>4. Will it be beneficial for All Concerned?</b></p>				
<p><b>Shad Cook</b> President</p>	<p><b>Mary Lawthers</b> President-Elect</p>	<p><b>Dave Cook</b> Vice President</p>	<p><b>Ford Weiskittel</b> Secretary</p>	<p><b>Bob McFadden</b> Club Treasurer</p>